

Preliminary Amendment
U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/646,922

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 are pending in this application of which claims 1 and 2 have been amended. Support for the amendments to claims 1 and 2 can be found at least in FIGS. 5-7. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter is entered. No new claims have been added.

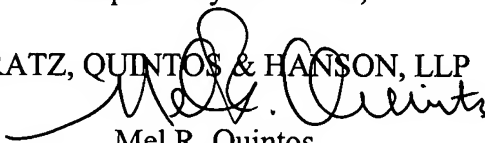
In the Final Office Action, claims 1-7 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Kweon et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,925,313) in view of the cited prior art document JP 59-78654.

The claims have been amended in order to more particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter to which Applicants regard as their invention, and in order to distinguish over the teachings of the cited prior art references singly or in combination. Accordingly, the withdrawal of the outstanding obviousness rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) is in order, and is respectfully requested.

In view of the above amendments, it is believed that the claimed invention distinguishes over the art of record and places the claims in proper condition for further examination. Early and favorable action is awaited.

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